

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Patrick Cadet et al.  
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Filed : February 22, 2002  
Title : NUCLEIC ACIDS ENCODING OPIATE RECEPTORS

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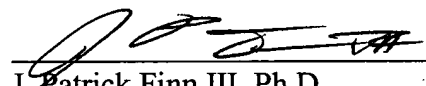
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Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136, Applicants hereby petition that the period for response to the action dated June 6, 2005, be extended for one month to and including October 6, 2005.

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Respectfully submitted,

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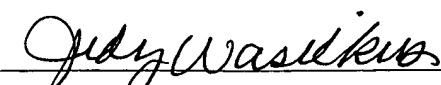
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